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TITLE (	OF INVENTION: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PREPAR	RING AND/OR ANALYZING BIOCHEMI	CAL REACTION CARRIERS					
APPLIC	CANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: STAHLER, Cord F.; STAHLE	ER, Peer F.; MULLER, Manfred; STAHLEF	ζ, Fritz; LINDNER, Hans					
1. 🗆	This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. (THE BASIC FILING FEE IS ATTACHED)							
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3. 🗆	This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)] at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).							
4. 🗆	A proper demand for International Preliminary Amend	dment was made by the 19th month fror	n the earliest claimed priority date.					
5. 🗆	A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]  a.							
6. 🗆	A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].							
7. 🗆 <b>r</b>	Amendments to the claims of the International Applic  a.  are transmitted herewith (required only if not b.  have been transmitted by the International B  c.  have not been made; however, the time limit d.  have not been made and will not be made.	t transmitted by the International Bureau Bureau.	).					
8. 🗆	A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].							
9. 🛛	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].							
10.	A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].							
Items 11	1 - 16 below concern other document(s) or information	included:						
11, 🗆	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R	:. 1.97 and 1.98.						
12.1	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13.	A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.							
14.	A substitute specification.							
15. 🗆	A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.							

16. ☑ Other items or information: ☑ PCT/DO/EO/905 CHECK NO. 315739 ☑

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